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INTIMA HYPERPLASIA AND FOR IMPROVING VASCULAR ENDOTHELIUM

FUNCTION AFTER VASCULAR INJURY

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Sir:

The following are submitted in the above-identified application in compliance with 37 CFR 1.97 & 1.98:

[X]5.A list of documents on form PTO-1449, together with copies of each identified document and a translation or a concise explanation of each non-English language document is enclosed herewith. (These are the references cited in the PCT International Search Report.)

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- []7. 37 CFR 1.97(c): [before Final Office Action or Allowance, whichever is earlier]; and
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